SIKKIM

GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

EXTRAORDINARY
PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY

Gangtok **Friday, 3rd November, 2006** **No.349**

HOME DEPARTMENT
GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM

No: 70/Home/2006 **Dated: 25/09/2006**

NOTIFICATION

The cultural and natural heritages of Sikkim has an outstanding universal value, and with the objectives to protect, conserve and preserve them, a committee is hereby constituted to study the operational guidelines and other akin parameters of United Nationals Educational Scientific and Cultural Organizations (UNESCO) and recommend some of the sites for inclusion in the list of one of the UNESCO World Heritage sites.

The Committee shall consist of the following, namely: -

1.	Principal Secretary, Cultural Affairs and Heritage Department	-	Chairman
2.	Secretary, Ecclesiastical Department	-	Vice Chairman
3.	Additional Chief Conservator of Forest, Forest, Environment and Wild Life Management Department	-	Member
4.	Joint Secretary, Cultural Affairs and Heritage Department	-	Member
5.	Divisional Forest Officer, Mountain Institute, Gangtok	-	Member
6.	Executive Secretary, Eco-Tourism, Conservation Society of Sikkim	-	Member
7.	Deputy Secretary, Cultural Affairs and Heritage Department	-	Member Secretary

The following shall be the terms of reference: -

1. Shall identify the suitable sites in State for protection, preservation, and conservation of cultural and natural heritages and to give recommendation.
2. Shall study all the terms and conditions of the World Heritage convention and suggest the ground for achieving the goal.
3. Shall study the operational guidelines and give comprehensive report for submission to the UNESCO.
4. To co-ordinate with the Nodal Agencies by the Central Government and work out details and submit the information.
5. The Committee may co-opt any person as the Member of the Committee.
6. The Committee shall submit the report within three months from the date of issue of this Notification.

JASBIR SINGH, IPS
HOME SECRETARY
F. No. Gos/CA & HD/1(75)/2005-06